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Docket No. : 979-236  
U.S. Application No. : TBA  
International Application No.: PCT/FR2004/050555  
International Filing Date. : November 2, 2004 (2 November 2004)  
Title of Invention : A METHOD OF FABRICATING A LIGHT DUCT OF  
THERMOPLASTIC MATERIAL  
Applicant(s) for (DO/EO/US) : Buchon

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1.  This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2.  This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3.  This express request to begin national examination procedures 35 U.S.C. 371 (f) at any time rather than delay examination until  
the expiration of the applicable time limit set forth in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4.  A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5.  A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].
  - a)  is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
  - b)  has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
  - c)  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.  A translation of the International Application into English [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)].
7.  Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].
  - a)  are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
  - b)  have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
  - c)  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has **NOT** expired.
  - d)  have not been made and will not be made.
8.  A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].
9.  An unsigned oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)].
10.  A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)].

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Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:

11.  An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 198.
12.  An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13.  A **FIRST** preliminary amendment to be entered at filing.  
 A **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** preliminary amendment.



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Reduction by  $\frac{1}{2}$  for filing by small entity, if applicable. Verified Small Entity

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Statement must be filed also. [Note 37 CFR 1.9, 1.27, 1.28]

(divided by 2)

SUBTOTAL: \$900.00

Processing fee of \$130 for furnishing the English Trans. later than 20 30 months  
from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)]

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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE: \$900.00

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] The assignment must be  
accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet [37 CFR 3.28, 3.31].

TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED: \$900.00

AMOUNT TO BE REFUNDED: Refunded \$

AMOUNT TO BE CHARGED: Charged \$

a) X A check in the amount of \$900.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

b)    Please charge my Deposit Account No. 19-2825 in the amount of \$ .00 to cover the above fees.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

c) X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or  
credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2825, order number 979-236. A duplicate copy of this sheet  
is enclosed.

NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37  
CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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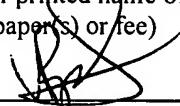
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I hereby certify that the following attached paper(s) or fee

- 1) National Stage Application (11 pages)
- 2) National Stage Transmittal
- 3) Return Postcard
- 4) Express Mail Certificate
- 5) Preliminary Amendment
- 6) Amendment Transmittal
- 7) Check for \$900.00
- 8) Formal Drawings (2 sheet) (Figs. 1-4)
- 9) International Patent Publication
- 10) IDS w/ 2 references

is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. §1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Group Art Unit: TBA  
Examiner: TBA

AMENDMENT FEE TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The additional fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Covered by Previous Payments	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total Claims*	14	-	20	=0	x \$50.00
Independent Claims	1	-	3	=0	x \$200.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)	(If claims added by amendment include Multiple Dependent Claim(s) and there was no Multiple Dependent Claim(s) in application before amendment add \$260.00 to additional fee.)				\$ _____
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Verified Statement of "Small Entity" Status Under 37 CFR § 1.27  
filed \_\_\_\_\_. Reduced Fees Under 37 CFR § 1.9(f)  
(50% of total) paid herewith. \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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\* Includes all independent and single dependent claims and all claims referred to in  
multiple dependent claims. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.75(c).

A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this amendment, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.19-2825. Order No. 979-236.  
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       Page(s) of substitute Sequence Listing

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Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(b) that the computer and paper copies of the substitute Sequence Listing are the same.

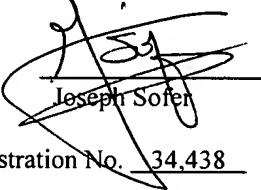
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